

NOVICE PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE COMPETITIVE EVENT

RULES FOR THE PERMISSIBLE MOTIONS-WORKSHEET

MOTION NAMES, CLASS ¹ AND PURPOSES	INTERRUPT SPEAKER?	SECOND NEEDED?	DEBATABLE?	AMENDABLE?	VOTE NEEDED?
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CLASS: Privileged Motions (Deal with special matters of immediate or overriding importance to the business of the assembly)

Recess (Provides a brief break)					
Raise a Question of Privilege (Asks an urgent question regarding rights and privileges of the assembly)					

CLASS: Subsidiary Motions (Aid the assembly in handling or disposing of a main motion)

Previous Question (Closes debate and goes directly to a vote and prevents the making of subsidiary motions listed on this table)					
Postpone Definitely (Puts off further consideration of the main motion to a later time, not beyond the next regular scheduled meeting if within a quarterly interval)					
Commit or Refer (Refers the motion to a committee)					
Amend (Proposes to change a motion)					
Postpone Indefinitely (Rejects or kills the main motion)					

CLASS: Main Motions (Introduce new business to the assembly)

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CLASS: Incidental Motions (Related to the pending business and must be decided immediately)

Parliamentary Inquiry (Allows a member to ask a question related to parliamentary law or the rules of the organization)					
Division of the Assembly (Requires a standing vote)					
Point of Order (Requests that the rules be enforced)					

- (1) *Motions That Bring a Question Again Before the Assembly* are not required for this event.
- (2) Amendable with respect to the length of the recess
- (3) Debatable if applied to a debatable motion
- (4) Assembly decides by a majority vote if the Chair does not want to make a ruling.